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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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For:	LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

Enclosed are:

- $\boxtimes$  4 sheets of  $\square$  formal  $\square$  informal drawings.
- ☑ Transmittal of certified copy of Japanese application 2000-285278 to claim priority date of September 20, 2000.
- ☐ Applicant requests non-publication.
- An assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd.
- ☑ An Executed Declaration
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